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FOR: **MULTI-BIT PHASE CHANGE MEMORY CELL AND MULTI-BIT PHASE CHANGE MEMORY INCLUDING THE SAME, METHOD OF FORMING A MULTI-BIT PHASE CHANGE MEMORY, AND METHOD OF PROGRAMMING A MULTI-BIT PHASE CHANGE MEMORY**

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as set forth herein. Also, accompanying this amendment is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

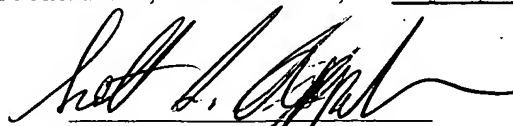
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